

Houston Ship Channel Fish Advisory – March 27, 2019

DSHS has updated its fish consumption advisory for the upper Houston Ship Channel and now recommends no one eat any species of fish or crab from the ship channel or San Jacinto River north of the State Highway 146 Fred Hartman Bridge. Volatile organic compounds in the water following the ITC fire may affect the safety of seafood harvested in the area.

The fish advisory previously recommended children and women of childbearing age not eat seafood from the area and women past childbearing age and adult men limit consumption to one meal per month due to contamination by dioxins and PCBs.

DSHS will continue to monitor TCEQ water sampling data to determine whether any further changes are needed.